

## Healthwatch Committee meeting 17 April 2018 Project update Presented by: Kim Newton

Members of the Committee are asked to:

- Note the contents of the report
- The CHC report is complete and will be published shortly.
- Some recommendations are already being implemented
  - Recommendation taken forward by Gateshead Council to audit procedures around identifying young people likely to qualify for CHC
  - o Information film been adopted by CCG
- Request from a family for Healthwatch to act as an independent observer
- Report is to be circulated to stakeholders
- An engagement plan has been developed to share the report
- Work is being done to follow up the agreed actions from hospital discharge report (Queen Elizabeth Hospital)